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(New) A starter according to claim 20, wherein said internal gear is made of

resin.

REMARKS

Claims 1-21 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claims 17-21 are

added. Support for the new claims can be found, for example, at column 5, lines 49-51 and

column 6, lines 25-45 of the instant specification. No new matter is added. In view of the

foregoing amendments and following remarks, prompt examination and allowance are

respectfully requested.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place

this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the

undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

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